

STATEWIDE SPRING 2001 HSGQE

Grade 10

HSGQE Student Test Results: Spring 2001 Compared to Spring 2000

READING

Test Date	Number Proficient	Percent Proficient ¹	Number Not Proficient	Percent Not Proficient ¹	October 1 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
Spring 2000	6,178	74.6%	2,098	25.4%	10,217	81.0%
Spring 2001	5,470	65.9%	2,831	34.1%	10,110	82.1%

WRITING

Test Date	Number Proficient	Percent Proficient ¹	Number Not Proficient	Percent Not Proficient ¹	October 1 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
Spring 2000	3,924	47.6%	4,319	52.4%	10,217	80.7%
Spring 2001	4,034	46.7%	4,595	53.3%	10,110	85.4%

MATH

Test Date	Number Proficient	Percent Proficient ¹	Number Not Proficient	Percent Not Proficient ¹	October 1 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
Spring 2000	2,717	33.3%	5,454	66.7%	10,217	80.0%
Spring 2001	3,806	44.0%	4,843	56.0%	10,110	85.5%

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Results by Special Population

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READING*	Proficient		Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	349	34.2%	672	65.8%
Limited English Proficient ²	142	25.0%	425	75.0%
Migrant ³	181	44.1%	229	55.9%
Disabled ⁴	118	21.1%	441	78.9%
Gifted ⁵	255	99.2%	2	0.8%

WRITING*	Proficient		Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	217	20.3%	851	79.7%
Limited English Proficient ²	90	15.3%	500	84.7%
Migrant ³	105	24.7%	320	75.3%
Disabled ⁴	26	4.3%	578	95.7%
Gifted ⁵	245	97.2%	7	2.8%

MATHEMATICS*	Proficient		Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	194	18.5%	856	81.5%
Limited English Proficient ²	94	15.9%	498	84.1%
Migrant ³	107	25.7%	309	74.3%
Disabled ⁴	53	8.9%	545	91.1%
Gifted ⁵	248	97.6%	6	2.4%

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Results by Special Population

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READING*	Proficient		Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	52	13.0%	348	87.0%
Limited English Proficient ²	30	10.5%	255	89.5%
Migrant ³	17	9.6%	161	90.4%
Disabled ⁴	22	9.2%	216	90.8%
Gifted ⁵	1	50.0%	1	50.0%

WRITING*	Proficient		Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	70	12.3%	497	87.7%
Limited English Proficient ²	38	10.5%	323	89.5%
Migrant ³	41	15.3%	227	84.7%
Disabled ⁴	12	3.4%	341	96.6%
Gifted ⁵	6	100.0%	0	0.0%

MATHEMATICS*	Proficient		Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	88	14.0%	542	86.0%
Limited English Proficient ²	39	10.3%	339	89.7%
Migrant ³	48	15.8%	255	84.2%
Disabled ⁴	25	6.4%	364	93.6%
Gifted ⁵	8	80.0%	2	20.0%

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Results by Race and Gender

READING	Proficient		Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	571	36.9%	976	63.1%	2,054	75.0%
American Indian	67	59.3%	46	40.7%	123	91.9%
Asian-Pacific Islander	263	52.0%	243	48.0%	580	86.7%
Black, Not Hispanic	138	43.9%	176	56.1%	362	86.7%
Hispanic	120	52.2%	110	47.8%	266	86.1%
White	4,233	78.0%	1,194	22.0%	6,589	82.1%
Male	2,592	61.4%	1,630	38.6%	5,271	80.1%
Female	2,813	71.3%	1,135	28.7%	4,839	81.6%

WRITING	Proficient		Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	371	23.0%	1,243	77.0%	2,054	78.2%
American Indian	51	43.2%	67	56.8%	123	95.9%
Asian-Pacific Islander	201	39.1%	313	60.9%	580	88.1%
Black, Not Hispanic	93	29.1%	227	70.9%	362	88.4%
Hispanic	84	33.5%	167	66.5%	266	94.0%
White	3,191	56.3%	2,479	43.7%	6,589	85.7%
Male	1,682	37.8%	2,762	62.2%	5,271	84.3%
Female	2,307	56.6%	1,771	43.4%	4,839	84.3%

MATHEMATICS	Proficient		Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	366	22.7%	1,245	77.3%	2,054	78.1%
American Indian	41	34.5%	78	65.5%	123	96.7%
Asian-Pacific Islander	202	38.3%	325	61.7%	580	90.3%
Black, Not Hispanic	64	20.1%	255	79.9%	362	88.1%
Hispanic	74	30.0%	173	70.0%	266	92.5%
White	3,018	53.5%	2,626	46.5%	6,589	85.3%
Male	2,037	46.4%	2,353	53.6%	5,271	83.3%
Female	1,732	42.0%	2,396	58.0%	4,839	85.3%

NOTE: Students who have not specified a Race/Ethnicity Code or Gender Code are not included in these tables.

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GRADE 11

Results by Race and Gender

READING	Proficient		Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹	
Alaska Native	75	13.1%	496	86.9%	1,719
American Indian	7	35.0%	13	65.0%	113
Asian-Pacific Islander	19	14.2%	115	85.8%	512
Black, Not Hispanic	25	26.0%	71	74.0%	340
Hispanic	8	14.0%	49	86.0%	257
White	213	42.0%	294	58.0%	5,815
Male	184	22.9%	618	77.1%	4,460
Female	171	28.6%	427	71.4%	4,426

WRITING	Proficient		Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹	
Alaska Native	110	13.4%	712	86.6%	1,719
American Indian	5	10.2%	44	89.8%	113
Asian-Pacific Islander	33	14.4%	196	85.6%	512
Black, Not Hispanic	28	17.1%	136	82.9%	340
Hispanic	17	18.1%	77	81.9%	257
White	385	28.2%	979	71.8%	5,815
Male	299	17.9%	1,368	82.1%	4,460
Female	293	26.2%	824	73.8%	4,426

MATHEMATICS	Proficient		Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹	
Alaska Native	146	15.3%	809	84.7%	1,719
American Indian	14	22.2%	49	77.8%	113
Asian-Pacific Islander	53	21.1%	198	78.9%	512
Black, Not Hispanic	25	12.0%	183	88.0%	340
Hispanic	24	19.5%	99	80.5%	257
White	552	28.8%	1,364	71.2%	5,815
Male	384	22.0%	1,365	78.0%	4,460
Female	449	24.4%	1,393	75.6%	4,426

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SPRING 2001 BENCHMARKS

Total Numbers and Percentages of Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency

		Grade 3					
Subject	Test Year	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient		October 1 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
		Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
READING	2000	7,220	72.5%	2,740	27.5%	10,706	93.0%
	2001	7,065	71.2%	2,855	28.8%	10,700	92.7%
WRITING	2000	4,851	48.8%	5,084	51.2%	10,706	92.8%
	2001	5,302	53.5%	4,617	46.5%	10,700	92.7%
MATHEMATICS	2000	6,453	65.0%	3,478	35.0%	10,706	92.8%
	2001	6,550	66.3%	3,326	33.7%	10,700	92.3%

		Grade 6					
Subject	Test Year	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient		October 1 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
		Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
READING	2000	6,958	69.9%	3,001	30.1%	10,574	94.2%
	2001	6,912	69.4%	3,043	30.6%	10,623	93.7%
WRITING	2000	7,180	72.2%	2,760	27.8%	10,574	94.0%
	2001	7,265	73.0%	2,687	27.0%	10,623	93.7%
MATHEMATICS	2000	6,161	62.2%	3,752	37.8%	10,574	93.7%
	2001	6,241	62.9%	3,681	37.1%	10,623	93.4%

		Grade 8					
Subject	Test Year	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient		October 1 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
		Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
READING	2000	7,993	83.2%	1,613	16.8%	10,575	90.8%
	2001	7,824	82.5%	1,660	17.5%	10,377	91.4%
WRITING	2000	6,479	67.5%	3,125	32.5%	10,575	90.8%
	2001	6,420	67.9%	3,040	32.1%	10,377	91.2%
MATHEMATICS	2000	3,724	39.0%	5,815	61.0%	10,575	90.2%
	2001	3,711	39.5%	5,675	60.5%	10,377	90.5%

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GRADE 3

Total Numbers and Percentages of Special Population Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency

READING *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	2,085	54.8%	1,722	45.2%
Limited English Proficient ²	509	43.5%	660	56.5%
Migrant ³	254	45.1%	309	54.9%
Disabled ⁴	420	37.2%	708	62.8%
Gifted ⁵	369	98.9%	4	1.1%

WRITING *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,408	36.9%	2,407	63.1%
Limited English Proficient ²	375	32.1%	794	67.9%
Migrant ³	163	29.0%	400	71.0%
Disabled ⁴	250	21.9%	889	78.1%
Gifted ⁵	363	97.8%	8	2.2%

MATHEMATICS *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,914	50.4%	1,887	49.6%
Limited English Proficient ²	519	44.4%	651	55.6%
Migrant ³	264	46.6%	303	53.4%
Disabled ⁴	416	36.6%	720	63.4%
Gifted ⁵	365	99.2%	3	0.8%

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GRADE 6

Total Numbers and Percentages of Special Population Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency

READING *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,615	50.7%	1,571	49.3%
LEP ²	385	35.5%	700	64.5%
Migrant ³	241	35.8%	433	64.2%
Disabled ⁴	372	33.5%	738	66.5%
Gifted ⁵	649	99.2%	5	0.8%

WRITING *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,771	55.8%	1,400	44.2%
LEP ²	486	45.0%	595	55.0%
Migrant ³	305	45.1%	371	54.9%
Disabled ⁴	372	33.5%	739	66.5%
Gifted ⁵	646	99.2%	5	0.8%

MATHEMATICS *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,394	43.7%	1,796	56.3%
LEP ²	339	31.1%	752	68.9%
Migrant ³	247	36.3%	434	63.7%
Disabled ⁴	301	27.0%	812	73.0%
Gifted ⁵	639	99.5%	3	0.5%

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GRADE 8

Total Numbers and Percentages of Special Population Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency

READING *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,498	62.4%	903	37.6%
LEP ²	432	53.9%	369	46.1%
Migrant ³	320	56.3%	248	43.7%
Disabled ⁴	441	47.5%	487	52.5%
Gifted ⁵	642	99.4%	4	0.6%

WRITING *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	1,080	45.1%	1,315	54.9%
LEP ²	289	36.4%	506	63.6%
Migrant ³	224	40.4%	330	59.6%
Disabled ⁴	191	20.6%	736	79.4%
Gifted ⁵	634	98.8%	8	1.2%

MATHEMATICS *	Advanced/Proficient		Below/Not Proficient	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Low Income ¹	450	18.8%	1,938	81.2%
LEP ²	111	14.0%	682	86.0%
Migrant ³	123	22.2%	431	77.8%
Disabled ⁴	75	8.2%	840	91.8%
Gifted ⁵	602	95.9%	26	4.1%

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GRADE 3

Total Numbers and Percentages of Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

READING	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	1,157	47.5%	1,280	52.5%	2,630	92.7%
American Indian	100	75.2%	33	24.8%	202	65.8%
Asian-Pacific Islander	403	69.0%	181	31.0%	595	98.2%
Black, Not Hispanic	315	66.3%	160	33.7%	498	95.4%
Hispanic	234	64.3%	130	35.7%	386	94.3%
White	4,631	82.7%	972	17.3%	6,190	90.5%
Male	3,333	67.9%	1,579	32.1%	5,426	90.5%
Female	3,702	74.6%	1,261	25.4%	5,381	92.2%

WRITING	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	753	31.0%	1,674	69.0%	2,630	92.3%
American Indian	66	49.6%	67	50.4%	202	65.8%
Asian-Pacific Islander	328	56.3%	255	43.7%	595	98.0%
Black, Not Hispanic	214	44.9%	263	55.1%	498	95.8%
Hispanic	172	47.1%	193	52.9%	386	94.6%
White	3,628	64.7%	1,982	35.3%	6,190	90.6%
Male	2,296	46.7%	2,622	53.3%	5,426	90.6%
Female	2,990	60.3%	1,967	39.7%	5,381	92.1%

MATHEMATICS	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	1,172	48.4%	1,248	51.6%	2,630	92.0%
American Indian	89	65.9%	46	34.1%	202	66.8%
Asian-Pacific Islander	364	62.3%	220	37.7%	595	98.2%
Black, Not Hispanic	227	47.8%	248	52.2%	498	95.4%
Hispanic	195	54.5%	163	45.5%	386	92.7%
White	4,303	77.1%	1,280	22.9%	6,190	90.2%
Male	3,224	65.7%	1,683	34.3%	5,426	90.4%
Female	3,298	67.0%	1,625	33.0%	5,381	91.5%

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GRADE 6

Total Numbers and Percentages of Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

READING	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	941	40.3%	1,395	59.7%	2,517	92.8%
American Indian	114	71.7%	45	28.3%	159	100.0%
Asian-Pacific Islander	379	67.9%	179	32.1%	585	95.4%
Black, Not Hispanic	299	65.3%	159	34.7%	492	93.1%
Hispanic	214	67.3%	104	32.7%	358	88.8%
White	4,802	81.8%	1,072	18.2%	6,368	92.2%
Male	3,336	66.3%	1,698	33.7%	5,430	92.7%
Female	3,547	72.6%	1,339	27.4%	5,192	94.1%

WRITING	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	1,091	46.8%	1,242	53.2%	2,517	92.7%
American Indian	114	72.2%	44	27.8%	159	99.4%
Asian-Pacific Islander	417	75.4%	136	24.6%	585	94.5%
Black, Not Hispanic	321	70.1%	137	29.9%	492	93.1%
Hispanic	225	70.3%	95	29.7%	358	89.4%
White	4,930	83.9%	945	16.1%	6,368	92.3%
Male	3,345	66.5%	1,685	33.5%	5,430	92.6%
Female	3,891	79.6%	996	20.4%	5,192	94.1%

MATHEMATICS	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	885	37.8%	1,455	62.2%	2,517	93.0%
American Indian	93	60.0%	62	40.0%	159	97.5%
Asian-Pacific Islander	343	61.7%	213	38.3%	585	95.0%
Black, Not Hispanic	231	50.7%	225	49.3%	492	92.7%
Hispanic	160	50.2%	159	49.8%	358	89.1%
White	4,387	75.0%	1,460	25.0%	6,368	91.8%
Male	3,190	63.7%	1,821	36.3%	5,430	92.3%
Female	3,027	62.1%	1,848	37.9%	5,192	93.9%

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GRADE 8

Total Numbers and Percentages of Students Scoring Above and Below Proficiency by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

READING	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	1,188	58.2%	852	41.8%	2,372	86.0%
American Indian	105	79.5%	27	20.5%	125	105.6%
Asian-Pacific Islander	461	81.4%	105	18.6%	591	95.8%
Black, Not Hispanic	318	77.4%	93	22.6%	434	94.7%
Hispanic	251	82.0%	55	18.0%	339	90.3%
White	5,341	92.0%	464	8.0%	6,384	90.9%
Male	3,842	79.4%	997	20.6%	5,367	90.2%
Female	3,950	85.9%	647	14.1%	5,010	91.8%

WRITING	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	818	40.4%	1,208	59.6%	2,372	85.4%
American Indian	80	60.6%	52	39.4%	125	105.6%
Asian-Pacific Islander	384	68.3%	178	31.7%	591	95.1%
Black, Not Hispanic	236	57.6%	174	42.4%	434	94.5%
Hispanic	193	63.1%	113	36.9%	339	90.3%
White	4,592	79.2%	1,208	20.8%	6,384	90.9%
Male	2,903	60.1%	1,928	39.9%	5,367	90.0%
Female	3,493	76.2%	1,088	23.8%	5,010	91.4%

MATHEMATICS	Advanced/Proficient		Below/ Not Proficient		October 1, 2000 Enrollment	Participation Rate ²
	Count	Percentage ¹	Count	Percentage ¹		
Alaska Native	373	18.5%	1,643	81.5%	2,372	85.0%
American Indian	27	20.8%	103	79.2%	125	104.0%
Asian-Pacific Islander	231	41.4%	327	58.6%	591	94.4%
Black, Not Hispanic	83	20.3%	326	79.7%	434	94.2%
Hispanic	86	28.6%	215	71.4%	339	88.8%
White	2,867	49.8%	2,886	50.2%	6,384	90.1%
Male	1,889	39.5%	2,896	60.5%	5,367	89.2%
Female	1,808	39.7%	2,748	60.3%	5,010	90.9%

¹ Percent Proficient and Percent Not Proficient rates only include students that participated in the exams.

² Participation rate is calculated by dividing the total count of students tested by the October 1, 2000 enrollment.